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Serial No.: 09/780,748)	
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Filed: February 9, 2001)	
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For: METHOD FOR PREPARING)	
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STATUS INQUIRY

MAIL STOP OFFICE OF PETITIONS
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Sir:

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Attached as Exhibit C is a copy of the Notice of Abandonment mailed by the USPTO on 08/29/2003.

Attached as Exhibit D is a copy of the Express mail receipt and postcard, indicating that the Missing Parts were received by the Patent Office on April 30, 2001.

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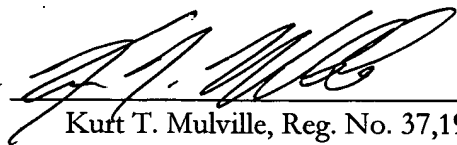
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Respectfully submitted,

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